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THRU THE EDITOR'S GLASSES

How many of us are proficient in first aid? I am not referring to the sometimes necessary tilting of the dental chair or to the restorative needed when a patient pays a long overdue bill; I mean the kind of first aid needed after a bad motor accident or an explosion; the kind needed in our defense program. There are a great many highly competent first aid crews available in different parts of the state but there can never be too many thoroughly trained workers in that field these days. With our own professional training we should be able to pick up the specialized technique in a short time. Why not start some classes? It could be a highly valuable defense effort; what do *you* think about it? If you are interested get a group together and contact your community Red Cross Headquarters. They have specially trained instructors and are anxious to have more trained first aid workers. It is a vital part of our defense efforts.

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No more JOURNALS until next fall! October seems a long way off now but don't let your copy go until the last minute. Write up your outings as soon as they occur and send them in; I can find a place to keep them until September 25, which will very likely be the October issue deadline. A pleasant summer to you! Start off at Bedford and combine study and fun.

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PRESIDENT-ELECT BOYD A. LOWRY

Born in Dewart, Pennsylvania on March 1st, 1894, Dr. Lowry spent a year at Bucknell Academy before entering Temple University Dental School to graduate in 1916.

Following his graduation, he acted as assistant to Dr. C. Barton Addie in the Crown and Bridge Department and also engaged in private practice with Dr. Addie until he enlisted. After training in a medical officer's camp, Dr. Lowry was assigned to the 106th Engineers and went overseas with them, returning in June, 1919.

He located in Williamsport in August of the same year and has been in general practice there ever since.

In 1920 he married Helen Derr Lewis of Watsontown and has two children, both girls.

A man of many interests, Dr. Lowry is a Xi Psi Phi, a Fellow in International College of Dentists, 32nd Degree Mason, Williamsport Consistory, an elder in the First Presbyterian Church, director of the First National Bank of Williamsport, member of the American Legion, an active disciple of Isaac Walton and a golfer, too.

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MONTHLY REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND HARRISBURG OFFICE

The Public Health Committee held a meeting in the Harrisburg Office, Sunday, May 4, 1941, at which time very definite plans for activities next fall were discussed. The chairman, Dr. Mendel, will report in detail on this subject at the Bedford meeting.

The President, Dr. Robinson, and chairman of committees for the annual meeting met at the Bedford Springs Hotel Sunday, May 11th; as a result we can report that all details for that meeting have been arranged and indications are that we will have a very well attended and excellent meeting.

Along that line, those of you who expect to attend this meeting and who have not made your hotel reservations, are urged to do so immediately to avoid disappointment in securing accommodations. Elsewhere in this issue of the JOURNAL you will find information on reservations. Please act promptly if you expect to attend.

If you have followed this report during the past twelve months you will realize that the trustees have had a busy year, holding several special meetings to attend to important business of the society.

Our comparative membership as of this date for 1940 and 1941 is given below—

May 12, 1941 membership	3,400
May 12, 1940 membership	3,280
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Respectfully submitted,

C. J. HOLLISTER, Ex. Sec'y

AT BEDFORD
ALL LUNCHEONS AND DINNERS WILL BE INFORMAL

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

This is my last official message as your President. I have tried to keep you in touch with some of the activities of the State Society between annual meetings; from the many communications I have received, I believe I have done so.

I want you to realize that the State Society is a 365-day organization, not just functioning during the annual meeting and then hibernating with the doors closed until just before the next meeting. The doors are wide open all year and we do a vast amount of business between annual meetings; drop in when you are in the vicinity of 217 State Street, Harrisburg. I believe you will not only be surprised but impressed with your State Society office and building.

Wednesday, April 23, I visited the Beaver Valley Dental Society and enjoyed the hospitality of that branch of the Odontological-Tenth District. There was an excellent attendance both at the clinic in the afternoon and at the dinner in the evening; both of which were very good.

On the 28th I attended a Dental Public Health meeting in Scranton, to which the Parent-Teachers Association and other organizations interested in this subject were invited. Dr. Linwood Grace and myself represented dentistry on the program; it was an interesting meeting.

The following day, April 29, I represented the State Dental Society at a meeting of the State Selective Service Board, at which representatives of the War Department, Surgeon General's and Attorney General's Departments were present and the whole plan of the Selective Servic was discussd. I presented dentistry's problems in the discussion and gave some facts which were new to many of those present and which they said would be carried back to their various departments. Dr. Robert Nones' Military Affairs Section in this issue will give you more detailed information.

May 1st, I visited the Eighth District's Annual Meeting which was held in Bradford; this was well attended and the program was most interesting. Dr. Harvey Roberts does a good job in his district and his report as trustee was quite complete.

Sunday, May 4th, Dr. Walter E. Mendel, State Chairman of the Public Health Committee called a meeting of the District Chairmen of his committee to discuss plans for the coming fall; those present showed a lot of enthusiasm for the plan outlined. Dr. Mendel is to be congratulated for the co-operation he has been able to get from his committee. Dr. Boyd Lowry, President-elect, was present and as he was a district chairman before his election to his present office, he is intensely interested in all public health matters. Inasmuch as this program will be carried out under his adminis-

tration, he is vitally concerned in seeing that it is a success and I am sure it will be; I am for it 100 per cent.

May 7th I represented the State Society at the meeting of the State Defense Committee called by Governor James. The meeting was held in the Capitol Forum and all organizations and industries were represented. Secretary Paul McNutt in behalf of the administration, stressed the necessity for complete co-operation by everyone in the Defense Program. You may have read his speech in the newspapers, also the one by Governor James. Have you ever heard Governor James? If you haven't, then you have missed something for he is a most enthusiastic and convincing orator.

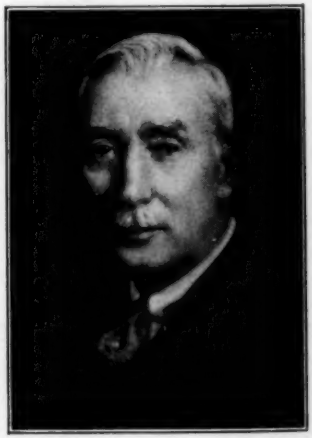
May 10th and 11th, I was at Bedford Springs for a meeting with the Chairman of the General Arrangements Committee, Dr. Grissinger; the Local Arrangements Committee; Dr. Yearick, Chairman of the Clinic Committee; Dr. Hollister, Executive Secretary; and last but not least, that most important man, Dr. Roy Black, Chairman of the Finance Committee. He was there to see that we kept within our budget. (Roy and I were classmates and as he drove me back to Harrisburg in his car, we had a class reunion.) This meeting was held to make the final arrangements for the Bedford Meeting. Rooms and quarters had to be selected for the different clinics, scientific sections, and all the other features which go to make up the meeting. Mr. Brewster, the manager of the hotel, has been most co-operative; he is as anxious as we are that our meeting be a success. The reservations for rooms up to last week-end was most gratifying and if they continue to arrive at the same rate the next week, there may be a sell-out. I would advise those who are coming to make reservations at once; you know the capacity of the hotel is limited and while there are a number of other hotels in Bedford, it will pay everyone who can to stay at the Bedford Springs Hotel. Your daily rate there pays for all luncheons and dinners which are usually an extra; each day prominent speakers and entertainment have been arranged for the luncheons and dinners.

I have a number of meetings this month at which I am scheduled to speak; one in particular is the Pennsylvania Public Health Association which will meet at Wilkes-Barre on May 28th. I have been asked to present a dental program for a health district in the present national defense program. I believe that this is the first time dentistry has been given a place on the program of this most important organization. I have endeavored during my term of office to present dentistry's important part in public health at every opportunity. I have been helped very much in this effort by the State Department of Health; Mrs. Edna Keck, Chief of the Department of Health Education and Dr. Linwood Grace, Chief of the Dental Division, have both given me valuable assistance.

Now to return to our Bedford Springs Meeting. This issue of the STATE JOURNAL is your program of the annual meeting. Turn to the program section if you have not already done so, and go over it carefully. The Scientific Sections, Registered Clinics, Graduate Courses and that great array of so-called Table Clinics, (where most valuable information may be obtained); see if you do not find there many subjects you really want to, and should know about. Almost every phase of dentistry is covered and all by authorities; then there is Army Day. There will be a complete army dental set-up which I know will be of interest to every dentist just at this time. Here is your opportunity to see one ready for action. The Army will be represented first by Brigadier General Leigh C. Fairbank, Chief of the Army Dental Corps; he will be assisted by a group of outstanding dental officers. Details are in the program. We are certainly indebted to General Fairbank for arranging this wonderful Army program.

The committees in charge of the meeting have realized that a little diversion is necessary too so they have arranged a number of features for your enjoyment. Then there are the natural attractions of Bedford Springs with its 2,500 acre estate; the woods and mountains where many will enjoy hiking, the golf course, tennis courts, a beautiful swimming pool, shuffle board, horseback riding; I can not enumerate them all. Everything is here for your mental and physical well being and the bell has rung so "come and get it." I will be looking for you at Bedford Springs June 3-4-5; it's a date, so don't fail me.

Cordially yours,
W. J. ROBINSON



RETIRING PRESIDENT W. J. ROBINSON

His patients probably thought he was running a two-chair office—with one of the chairs in Harrisburg; a trying and difficult year with many accomplishments to his credit.

MILITARY AFFAIRS

RADIOGRAM

To: Commanding Officers Field Armies,
Corps Areas and Departments:

"Individuals who are qualified for appointment in the Dental and Veterinary Corps Reserve, who have been inducted under the provision of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, should be encouraged to apply for appointment in order that they may serve in a professional capacity.

Individuals accepted for appointment will be discharged and ordered to extended active duty for a period of twelve consecutive months."

By order of the Secretary of War
Signed: E. F. ADAMS, Major General
The Adjutant General

DENTISTS AND SELECTIVE SERVICE

The National Headquarters of the Selective Service System has notified its components and local boards that dentists are to be classified as 2-A, and not certified for induction into the military forces under the Selective Service Act at this time.

It is our information that the War Department has ruled that *qualified* dentists now serving in non-professional capacities as the result of induction under the Selective Service Act, will be commissioned. The War Department directive providing for this new resolution will be released from the War Department very shortly. The A. D. A. will be furnished the information contained in the directive as soon as it is available from the War Department.

The status of students in dental schools has been clarified as follows: Senior dental students are urged to contact their local boards not later than June 1, requesting a reclassification under the provisions of recent instructions from Selective Service Headquarters. Their new classification should be 2-A.

All dentists who registered and have not been inducted to date should likewise contact their boards, requesting a reclassification as provided in the above instructions. This information will be available at all draft boards in the very near future.

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THE STUDENT AND THE DRAFT

The situation of the dental student in the draft is one of grave concern. It is a situation that presents many angles and is being approached with great care by the directors of the Selective Service.

Dentistry is fortunate in having the medical profession as its guardian angel and I feel sure that any legislation that concerns both professions in this national emergency will be fairly and squarely dealt with by our medical colleagues and dentistry will benefit thereby. Therefore the recent rulings of deferments granted to all students of recognized medical schools will likewise include all recognized schools of dentistry. Keep in mind that a man must be classified as a "necessary man" and urgent recommendation has been made for individual deferment of students, so long as they continue to be occupational in preparation or training as necessary men in activities necessary to national defense. Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Mining and Metallurgical Engineering, Chemistry, Medicine and Dentistry are the courses so designated.

Concerning these professions, it is stated that the Bureau of Labor Statistics studies have revealed a "dangerously low level of man power." For this reason it has been suggested that all representatives of the Selective Service System give immediate attention to the problem of preventing any unnecessary increase of these shortages.

In calling attention to these needs, General Hershey, Director of the Selective Service states: "The local board has full authority and responsibility, subject to appeal, for deciding whether or not a registrant is a necessary man and whether he should be selected or deferred. It must consider all the evidence submitted in connection with each individual case and must decide each case on its particular facts."

Concerning procedure on student deferments, General Hershey also states: "In brief the procedure provides for getting into the hands of the local board a 'Student Statement of Infirmation', presenting the student's statement of his status and plans and an affidavit of the college or university, in which the college officials testify as to the student's standing, courses and occupational objectives, together with a general valuation of the student as a 'necessary man'. This information should be considered by the local board in the same manner as a Form 42 in other occupational deferment.

These deferments will be made individually under the "necessary man" provisions of Selective Service Regulations and will include those students who have been placed in classes 1-D and 1-E for deferment only until July 1, 1941 as well as those students who are still to be classified. Those found

to be "necessary men" will be placed in Class II-A, which is a deferment for a period of six months so long as they continue training as "necessary men" in activities necessary to the national defense.

My main purpose in writing this article is to show our members that they are being taken care of in the same manner as the members of the medical profession and also to make clear to the student that he will be able to maintain his status as a student, but he must also make up his mind immediately to maintain that status to conform to regulations. He will be compelled to prove himself at each six months renewal period, otherwise, the fact that he is a dental student will not be considered and he will be compelled to forfeit his privilege and be inducted into the draft as a private soldier. This action is very fair because it places the student on a higher plane and compels him to maintain a status in conformity with the requirements. It also bars that unpatriotic minority from seeking refuge in a dental school.

It must be understood that no student has the right to apply for deferment until he has been called by his local board and receives his questionnaire. He can then proceed as stated above and make his application to his board with the assistance of his dean or the proper college authorities.

*** * * *—FINAL MAY 13TH, 2:30 P. M.**

Information has just reached me that the latest regulation states that dentists who have not already been inducted into the service cannot be appointed in the Officer's Reserve Corps until after induction. The draftee will then apply to his commanding officer for instruction at the camp to which he is assigned.

This is specific and dentists need not waste their time by making application for a commission in the dental corps before being drafted.

ROBERT H. NONES, JR., *Chairman,*
State Military Affairs Committee,
1930 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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FUTURE EVENTS

American Dental Association meets in Houston, Texas, October 27 to 31.

American Dental Hygienists' Association meets in Houston, Texas, October 27 to 31; headquarters at the Hotel Lamar.

The Annual Meeting of the Odontological Society of Western Pennsylvania will be held November 11, 12, 13, 1941 at the William Penn Hotel, Pittsburgh.

DENTAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH
DENTAL ALUMNI DAY—DENTAL INFIRMARY

June 10, 1941

All day and evening free parking for members in lot behind Logan Armory —Entrance on Bouquet St. (Follow signs)

8:30- 9:00 A. M.—Registration at Dental Infirmary—Get your badge.

9:00-12:00 Noon—Lectures and Clinics—Admission by badge.

9:00-10:00 A. M.—"Oral Surgery for the General Practitioner"—(Illustrated Lecture)—Dr. Homer Porritt—Lecture Hall No. 1—Old Mellon Building, (Across from Dental Infirmary).

10:00-11:00 A. M.—"How and When Should We Open the Bite for Occlusal Reconstruction?" — Dr. Bruce Clark — Lecture Hall No. 1—Old Mellon Building.

PROSTHETIC SECTION—PRACTICAL CLINICS.

Lecture Hall No. 2—Old Mellon Building.

9:00-10:00 A. M.—"Partial Dentures"—Illustrated by moving pictures —Dr. R. I. Crumpton.

10:00-11:00 A. M.—"Processing Acrylic Dentures"—Dr. H. A. Bradley.

11:00-12:00 Noon—"Making Dental Obturators of Acrylic Resin"—Dr. W. H. Wright.

EXODONTIA SECTION—TABLE CLINICS AND PRACTICAL DEMONSTRATIONS.

Exodontia Department—Dental Infirmary.

9:00-10:00 A. M.—Room 1—"Instrumentation"—Dr. W. M. Furnier.

9:00-10:00 A. M.—Room 2—"Removal of Torus Palatinus" (Practical Demonstration)—Dr. W. D. McClelland.

10:00-11:00 A. M.—Room 1—"Practical Injection Technique" — Dr. D. E. Wagner.

10:00-11:00 A. M.—Room 2—"Fifth Nerve Using Wet Specimen"—Dr. James J. Fassinger.

11:00-12:00 Noon—Room 1—"Apicoectomy" (Practical Demonstration) —Dr. R. W. Lundstrom.

11:00-12:00 Noon—Room 2—"Extraction of Teeth and Alveolectomy (Practical Demonstration)—Dr. S. R. Bononi.

CROWN AND BRIDGE SECTION—TABLE CLINICS AND LECTURES.

Crown and Bridge Laboratory—Dental Infirmary.

9:00-10:00 A. M.—"Bridge Work—Open Forum"—Dr. A. C. Young.

10:00–11:00 A. M.—"Helpful Suggestions in the Glazing and Staining of Porcelain"—Dr. George Liddell.

11:00–12:00 A. M.—"Vital Tooth Preparations"—Dr. Victor Westin.

9:00–10:30 A. M. and 10:30–12:00 Noon — "Gingivectomy" — Kodadrome moving pictures and slides—Dr. George M. Stewart — Lecture Hall, second floor — Dental Infirmary.

12:00– 1:00 P. M.—Business Meeting in Lecture Hall No. 2—Old Mellon Building.

1:00– 2:00 P. M.—Luncheon—Faculty Dining Room—17th floor Cathedral of Learning—(Wives are invited).

2:00– 4:00 P. M.—Conducted tours of Cathedral of Learning, Heinz Chapel and Foster Memorial. Members are urged to bring their wives to luncheon and tours.

4:00– 6:00 P. M.—Class Reunions—Plan to attend; send your wife to the tea.

1901	Dr. P. Neff Myers	Secretary
1906	Dr. J. C. G. Fitzhugh	Secretary
1911	Dr. C. W. Hagan	Secretary
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1921	Dr. Jesse Baker	Secretary
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1931	Dr. C. K. Nippes	Secretary
1936	Dr. H. J. Olszewski	Secretary
1940	Drs. C. A. Flecker and W. A. Barrickman	Secretaries

4:00– 6:00 P. M.—Tea for wives and friends of Dental Alumni Members—Hotel Schenley—Special rest rooms for wives and lady friends.

6:30 P. M.—Banquet and Dance—Hotel Schenley.

After the banquet Dean Friesell will announce the honor students and present them with Omicron Kappa Upsilon keys. The editorial staff of DENTAL RAYS, outstanding Student-Alumni Publication, also will receive merit keys. This will be followed by presentation of a series of portraits of the pioneers of anesthesia, to the Dental Library and Museum.

Sir James Y. Simpson, presented by Dr. T. F. McBride, President of Psi Omega Alumni.

Dr. Wm. T. G. Morton, presented by Dr. James West, President, Delta Sigma Delta Auxiliary.

Gardner Q. Colton, presented by Dr. Max Silverman, President Alpha Omega Alumni.

Dr. Henry H. Hickman, presented by Dr. A. C. Young of Omicron Kappa Upsilon Chapter.

Dr. John Snow, presented by Dr. George J. Thomas, Professor of Anesthesia, Medical School, University of Pittsburgh..

Acceptance of portraits by Dean H. E. Friesell.

Speakers of the evening (to be announced later).

Greetings from Reunion Classes—'01, '06, '11, '16, '21, '26, '31, '36, '40.

Dancing 10 P. M.–1 A. M.—Hotel Schenley Ball Room. Music by George Luccy's Band.

Send in your reservation now!

DR. W. HARRY ARCHER,
President

DR. F. C. FRIESELL,
Secretary and Treasurer

DR. J. CLIFTON ESELMAN,
Chairman Program Committee

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PROGRAM
PENNA. DENTAL HYGIENISTS' ASSOCIATION'S CONVENTION
Bedford, June 3, 4, 5, 1941

TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 1941

8:30—Conference Breakfast.
Officers, Board of Trustees, and Delegates.
Arandale Hotel.

9:00—Registration desk open.

10:00—General Meetings—Arandale Hotel.
Invocation.
Rev. Charles A. Sauter, Bedford, Pa.
Address of Welcome.
W. J. Robinson, D.D.S.
President, Pennsylvania State Dental Society.
Address of Welcome, on Behalf of Central District Dental Hygienists' Association.
Muriel Agnew, President.
Response to Address of Welcome.
Camille Overpeck, R.D.H., Philadelphia, Pa.

11:00—President's Address.
Frances J. Ekey, R.D.H., Warren, Pa.
Delegates' and Committees' Reports.
Business Meeting.

12:00—Luncheon.
Arandale Hotel.
2:00—General Meeting.
Bedford Springs Hotel.
Symposium—"The Modern Science of Nutrition."
Dr. Herbert Kelly, Philadelphia, Pa.—Medical Profession.
Dr. John H. Gunter, Philadelphia, Pa.—Dental Profession.
8:00—Symposium continued—Bedford Springs Hotel.
(The Dental Hygienists are invited to participate.)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4, 1941

8:30—Conference Breakfast.
Officers, Board of Trustees, and Delegates.
Arandale Hotel.
9:00—Registration desk open.
9:30—General Meetings—Arandale Hotel.
Business Meeting.
Election of Officers.
10:30—H. Koepp-Baker, Ph.D., State College, Pa.
"Speech Disorders and Their Implications."
12:15—Luncheon—Arandale Hotel.
Under Auspices of Central District Dental Hygienists Asso.
Guests of Honor:
Linwood G. Grace, D.D.S., Chief of State Dental Division, Department of Health, Harrisburg, Pa.
W. E. Mendel, D.D.S., State Chairman of Public Health, Pittburgh, Pa.
C. J. Hollister, D.D.S., Executive Secretary, Pennsylvania State Dental Society.
Speaker—Dr. Levi Gilbert, President of Pennsylvania State Teachers' Association, Altoona, Pa.
Music—Violin Soloist, Delores Brennecke.
2:00—General Meeting.
Arandale Hotel.
2:30—Miss Rebekah Fisk, Dental Hygienist, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C.
"The Dental Hygienist in the National Defense Program."
3:30—Boyd A. Lowry, D.D.S., President-elect, Pennsylvania State Dental Society, Williamsport, Pa.
"My Impressions of the Past and Future of Oral Hygiene."
7:00—Formal Dental Banquet and Dance.
Bedford Springs Hotel.

THURSDAY, JUNE 5, 1941

8:30—Conference Breakfast—Arandale Hotel.
Officers, Board of Trustees, Delegates.
9:00—Registration desk open.
9:30—General Meetings—Arandale Hotel.
Business Meeting.
Installation of Officers.
10:30—D. S. Gardner, D.D.S., Scranton, Pa.
"The Dental Hygienist in the Private Office."
11:30—Mada A. Reilly, Director, Dental Hygiene, State Department of Health, Harrisburg, Pa.
"Round Table Discussion."
1:00—Luncheon—Arandale Hotel.
2:00 to 5:00 P.M.—Clinics—Helen Geary, R.D.H., Chairman.
Central Pennsylvania.
Mada Reilly—"Public Health."
Marion Bryan—"A Dental Health Educational Program in the Schools."
Philadelphia District.
Helen Diller—"Helpful Hints."
Western Pennsylvania.
Euphemia Orlando—"Hospital."
Aline Weidenman and Ida Mae Stilley—"Schools."
Thelby Clouser and Betty Jenkins—"Boys' Club."
Margaret Grahn and Esther Grahn—"Private Office."

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POINTS OF INTEREST

Oldest house in Bedford; 211 E. Pitt Street, 1755.
Memorial Park—first graveyard restored, with graves of many early pioneers, soldiers and settlers.
Community Center—Bedford County Motor Club, A.A.A., travel and tour information. Site of first bank, 1815. Public Library.
Golf—Bedford Springs and Arandale Hotels.
Old Mill at Bedford Springs. Built 1797.
First Catholic Church, 1822, on East Street.
Bedford Gazette, founded 1805; Bedford Inquirer, founded 1812. Both published continuously to present day.
Captain Phillips' Scouts Monument, near Saxton.
Court House, records and deeds, built 1828.
Old Church and Graveyard at Schellsburg, 1806.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM

73rd Annual Meeting

PENNSYLVANIA STATE DENTAL SOCIETY

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Bedford Springs Hotel

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JUNE 3, 4, 5

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Clerk
H. C. Reichard

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OFFICIAL CALL—BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The first meeting of the Board of Trustees will be held in the Bedford Springs Hotel, Monday, June 2nd, 9 A. M.

(Signed) Melville D. Nesbit, *Chairman*

Welcome

TO THE SEVENTY-THIRD ANNUAL CONVENTION

The personnel of the various committees, with your hosts, the entire membership of the Central Pennsylvania Seventh District, extend to you a most cordial welcome to the Bedford Springs Meeting.

Every effort has been made to present a scientific program with outstanding essayists, also table clinics with advanced technique in modern restorative dentistry.

The Golf Committee has arranged for the Annual Golf Tournament to start Monday morning and last throughout the day on the famous Bedford Springs Course, reputed to be one of the best throughout the State. There will be the usual banquet for the golfers at the hotel in the evening.

A Reception and Tea for the ladies has been arranged by Mrs. Fred Miller, Chairman of the Committee for Ladies entertainment, at the Hotel on Wednesday. Arrangements have been made by the Bedford Chamber of Commerce for a tour for the ladies who wish to see Wonderland Caverns at Manns Choice, the Ship Hotel on Grand View and the Fish Hatcheries at Reynoldsdale. Cars will be at the hotel to take all who care to go.

The Entertainment Committee has arranged for you a surprise entertainment, "BEDFORD'S BOUNTIFUL BREVITIES", the really big night of your State Meeting, Wednesday, 8 P. M. in the beautiful ball room of Springs Hotel.

We are glad to announce that all space for commercial exhibits has been taken and we are sure of a fine display by this loyal organization in whom we count much on making the meeting a success.

R. D. Grissinger,
Chairman of Arrangements Committee.

COMMITTEES FOR 73rd STATE MEETING, BEDFORD, PENNSYLVANIA

CLINIC

John H. Yearick, Chairman

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bedford Springs will be on Eastern Standard Time; all times given in this program are Eastern Standard Time.

CALENDAR OF SPECIAL MEETINGS

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING—
Monday, June 2, 9 A. M., Bedford Springs Hotel.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES MEETING—
Monday, June 2, 2 P. M., Bedford Springs Hotel.

PUBLIC HEALTH DINNER AND MEETING—
Tuesday, June 3rd, 6:30 P. M. Ballroom.

PAST PRESIDENTS' BREAKFAST—
Wednesday, June 4th, 8:30 A. M.

STATE PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE BREAKFAST—
Wednesday, June 4th.

ARMY DAY—
Wednesday, June 4th.

PRESIDENT'S DINNER—
Wednesday, June 4th, 6:30 P. M.

BEDFORD'S BOUNTIFUL BREVITIES—
Wednesday, June 4th, 9 P. M. Tickets $1.00.

STATE AND DISTRICT OFFICERS' BREAKFAST—
Thursday, June 5th, 8:30 A. M.

DIRECTORY OF MEETING ROOMS

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Graduate Courses	
Dr. Anderson	**Room 102**
Dr. Ennis	**Room 101**
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Past Presidents' Breakfast	**Parlor C**
State and District Officers' Breakfast	**Parlor C**
Golfers' Dinner	**Parlor C**

AT BEDFORD
ALL LUNCHEONS AND DINNERS WILL BE INFORMAL

ADMISSION

All members of the American Dental Association in good standing will be admitted to Scientific Sessions and Exhibits upon presentation of their membership cards at the Registration Desk. Admission to Registered Clinics and Post Graduate Courses shall be by card and shall admit only to those Clinics and Courses selected by the applicant.

Physicians who are members of the American Medical Association in good standing will be admitted upon presentation of their membership cards.

Dental Hygienists will be admitted upon presentation of their membership cards in the American Association of Dental Hygienists.

Dental Assistants will also be admitted upon presentation of their membership cards in the American Association of Dental Assistants.

Ethical dentists who are not members of the A. D. A. and who wish to visit only the exhibits are welcome.

The Registration and Information Booth will be open:

Tuesday, June 3rd—8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Wednesday, June 4th—9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Thursday, June 5th—9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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FOR THE LADIES

On Wednesday, June 4th, there will be a Luncheon Bridge for the ladies at Bedford Springs Hotel. They will find all kinds of prizes.

On Thursday, June 5th, there will be a sight seeing tour to the Wonderlands Caverns.

The ladies are urged to come to the meeting and enjoy all of these pleasant doings.

We ask that all the wives will stop at the registration desk when they arrive so we may meet every one.

WOMEN'S ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE,
Mrs. Fred D. Miller, Chairman

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PENNSYLVANIA STATE DENTAL GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

The Annual Golf Tournament will be held on Monday, June 2nd, at the Bedford links, Bedford Springs.

The State Handicap Event is divided into three divisions. Three main prizes will be awarded in each division, and many others. The Championship Cup and President's Trophy go to the player having the lowest gross score.

There will also be a Kickers' Handicap, and a Sweepstake Event for those desiring to enter.

Players may use State or Club Handicap.

Officers, Trustees and Delegates may compete Sunday or Monday. They must signify their intention to the Golf Committee before teeing off.

Entrance fee to Championship Event, $1.00. Life Membership in Golf Club, $3.00.

Prizes will be awarded at the dinner, 6.30 P. M., at the Hotel. Everyone is invited to the dinner.

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COMMERCIAL EXHIBITS

In the commercial exhibit room this year you will find the representatives of the dental trade who are loyally supporting our society and meeting. It should be unnecessary to appeal to those attending our State Society Meeting to visit the commercial exhibits. This feature of the meeting stands strictly on its merits. We hope you will attend the meeting, and if you do, we know you will not want to leave without making a thorough tour of the Exhibit Hall.

The representatives of our exhibitors will be pleased to interview you and acquaint you with the very latest advances in the manufacturing supply and therapeutic fields of dentistry. Frequently some exhibitor may give information and advice which will prove of great benefit to the inquiring dentist relative to some individual problems he has under consideration. The interests of the dental profession, dental manufacturers and dealers should be mutual.

There will be a grand prize drawing for dentists who visit the Commercial Exhibits. Get your entry card when you register. Meet the representatives of our exhibitors and at the same time qualify for this grand prize drawing.

HOURS OF EXHIBIT

The Commercial Exhibits will be open Tuesday, June 3rd, from 10:00 A. M. until 6:00 P. M. Wednesday, June 4th, from 9:00 A. M. until 6:00 P. M. Thursday, June 5th, from 9:00 A. M. until 3:00 P. M.

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OFFICIAL CALL—HOUSE OF DELEGATES

The first meeting of the House of Delegates of the Pennsylvania State Dental Society will be held at the Bedford Springs Hotel, Bedford, Monday, June 2nd, 2 P. M.

(Signed) W. J. Robinson, *President*

73rd ANNUAL MEETING
PENNSYLVANIA STATE DENTAL SOCIETY

Bedford Springs, June 3, 4, 5

TUESDAY, JUNE 3rd

9:30 A. M. **Opening Exercises—Dr. W. J. Robinson presiding**

10:00 A. M. **Full Denture Prosthesis—Dr. H. B. Anderson—Room 102**
Demonstrating with a patient the complete technique of constructing full upper and lower dentures; making vulcanite tray; vulcanite bases; the establishment of centric occlusion; the different types of set-up of the teeth; the step by step construction from the taking of the impressions through vulcanization to the final fit. (This course runs all day Tuesday, all day Wednesday and until noon Thursday, fee $10.00.)

Roentgenology—Dr. L. M. Ennis—Room 101
The detailed technique of taking and developing dental x-rays; the interpretation of all types of normal and pathological conditions. (This course runs all day Tuesday and Wednesday, fee $5.00.)

10:00 A. M. **Mechanical Principles Necessary to Proper Cavity Design**
Arthur B. Gabel, A.B., D.D.S., Darby Professor of Operative Dentistry, University of Pennsylvania.
Convention Hall

10:45 A. M. **The Place of Acrylic Resins in Modern Dentistry**
E. Howell Smith, D.D.S., Assistant Professor of Prosthetic Dentistry, University of Pennsylvania.
Convention Hall

11:30 A. M. **Root Canal Therapy** **E. G. VanValey, D.D.S.**
Convention Hall

12:30 P. M. **Luncheon Speaker, Mr. L. H. Hinkle, Superintendent of Bedford County Schools**

2:30 P. M. **Scientific Session—Dr. G. S. Phillips presiding**
The Modern Science of Nutrition and Nutritional Deficiency
Visiting Physician Presbyterian Hospital, Phila., Chr. of the Commission on Nutrition and Deficiency Diseases, State of Penna.; Associate in Medicine, Graduate School of Medicine, U. of P.

Dental Aspect **John H. Gunter, D.D.S., M.D.**
Associate Professor of Maxillo-Facial Surgery, School of Dentistry, Univ. of Penna.; Consultant in Oral Surgery, Episcopal Hospital of Phila.; Assistant Oral Surgeon, Oncologic Hospital, Phila.
Convention Hall

6:30 P. M. **Public Health Dinner and Meeting—Dr. Robinson presiding**
Public Health Program of Pa. State Dep't. of Health
L. G. Grace, D.D.S., Chief Dental Division.
Public Health Program of the Pa. State Dental Society
Walter E. Mendel, D.D.S., Chr. Public Health Committee Pennsylvania State Dental Society.
The Place of Dentistry in Public Health
Milton Rose, M.D., Prof. of Public Health, U. of P.
Discussion by Daniel S. Gardner, D.D.S., Chr. Public Health Committee, Third District Dental Society.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4th

9:30 A. M. **Scientific Session—Dr. R. D. Grissinger presiding**
Oral Diagnosis — Lester W. Burket, D.D.S., M.D., Instructor

10:00 A. M. Continuation of graduate courses by Drs. Anderson and Ennis on Full Denture Prosthesis and Roentgenology respectively. These are the clinics for which a fee was charged on registration. Dr. Anderson, Room 102. Dr. Ennis, Room 101.

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M. **Free Registered Clinics.** These clinics are repeated at 11:30 to allow for smaller groups.

No. 1. Complete Mouth Rehabilitation—Roy J. Glezen, D.D.S., Ass't Dean, Dental School, Georgetown Univ., Prof. of Crown and Bridge Prosthesis. Room 104.

No. 2. The Application of Mechanical Principles to Cavity Design—Edw. W. Freas, D.D.S., Ass't Prof. of Operative Dentistry, Univ. of Penna. Room 107.

No. 3. The Treatment of Vincents Infection — Lester W. Burket, D.D.S., M.D., Inst. Oral Diagnosis, Univ. of Penna. Room 105.

No. 4. Practical Application of Root Canal Therapy— E. G. Van Valey, D.D.S. Room 109.

No. 5. The Use and Processing of Acrylic Resins — E. Howell Smith, D.D.S., Ass't Prof. of Prosthetic Dentistry, Univ. of Penna. Room 103.

No. 6. The Three Point (Mechanical, Esthetic and Biologic) Practice of Prosthetic Dentistry—Dorothy B. Waugh, D.D.S., Inst. Prosthetic Dep't, Temple Univ. Room 110.

No. 7. Porcelain Jacket Crowns and Bridging the Spaces Without Bridges—Benjamin A. Lincoln, D.D.S. Room 108.

No. 8. Gold Inlay Technique — Hunting B. Lord, D.D.S., Inst. Inlay, Crown and Bridge Dep't, Temple Univ. Room 111.

No. 9. Gingevectomy—(Slides and Movies) G. M. Stewart, D.D.S., Ass't Prof. Anatomy, School of Dentistry, Univ. of Pittsburgh. Room 106.

12:30 P. M. **Luncheon**—Brig. General Leigh C. Fairbank.

2:30 P. M. **Army Program—Dr. Boyd A. Lowry presiding**
Gunshot Wounds of the Face—Col. Roy A. Stout.
The Dental Officer in the Field Unit—Col. Neal A. Harper.
Construction of Modern Splints—Maj. Roger G. Miller.
Maxillo-facial equipment and the dental outfit for pack artillery will be on display. Convention Hall.

6:30 P. M. **President's Dinner—Dr. Grissinger presiding**

9:00 P. M. **Bedford's Bountiful Brevities**—Floor Show and Dancing.

THURSDAY, JUNE 5th

10:00 A. M. Continuation of Graduate Course on Full Denture Prosthesis by Dr. H. B. Anderson. Room 102.

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M. Repetition of Registered Clinics. Rooms 103-111.

12:30 P. M. **Luncheon**—The Bedford Springs Trio and Pianist.

2:30 P. M. **Table Clinics.** Convention Hall and Veranda.

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GENERAL TABLE CLINICS

THURSDAY, JUNE 5, 1941
2 P. M.–5:30 P. M.

The Clinic Committee takes pleasure in presenting a most careful selection of over fifty capable Table Clinicians.

The clinicians are not only prominent members of our profession, but many of them are well worthy of conducting post graduate courses and registered clinics.

Table clinics are always of an instructive and practical nature, and by many members are considered the most valuable part of the meeting. These clinics will be held in Convention Hall and on Veranda, Thursday afternoon—2 P. M. to 5:30 P. M. Don't miss them.

Clinic Number 1

Direct Band Technic in Orthodontics—Dr. A. R. Abrams, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 2

Use of Silver Nitrate in Dentistry for Children—Dr. B. Elizabeth Beatty, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 3

Registration of Mandibular Movements and Precise Transfer to Articulator—Dr. Victor E. Veresin, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 4

Stabilizing Full Lower Dentures by Means of "Hard Base Plate Wax" Impression Technique—Dr. R. L. Black, Meadville.

Clinic Number 5

Art of Better Impression Making without Plaster or Compound—Dr. Robert M. Barthel, Shamokin.

Clinic Number 6

The Porcelain Veneered Cast Jacket Crown—Dr. E. A. Boreth, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 7

Simplifying the Removal of Impacted Teeth and Broken Roots by the Use of the Engince Driven Mallet—Dr. Larue Braucher, Altoona.

Clinic Number 8

Some Helpful Aids—Dr. B. B. Breman, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 9

Local Anesthesia as Applied to Exodontia—Dr. Naysh C. Brennan, Shenandoah.

Clinic Number 10

Orthodontia for the General Practitioner—Dr. S. S. Burt, Bradford.

Clinic Number 11

Practice Management and Dental Economics—Dr. Oliver R. Campbell, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 12

Early Detection and Correction of Defects in Deciduous and Permanent Teeth—Dr. Vincent E. Caravelli, Reading.

Clinic Number 13

Partial Denture Impressions—Dr. Paul P. Clayton, Hatboro.

Clinic Number 14

Indirect Gold Inlays using Electro Deposited Dies—Dr. George A. Coleman, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 15

Oral Surgery—Dr. W. Coverley-Smith, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 16

Colloid Impressions for Fixed Bridgework—Dr. C. S. Cuden, Pittsburgh.

Clinic Number 17

Preventive Measures in Malocclusions—Dr. Bertha L. Eastwood, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 18

Denture Prosthesis an Aid to Auditory Function—Dr. David J. Goodfriend, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 19

Use of Hydro-Colloid Material for Inlay Impressions—Dr. J. Bardin Goodman, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Clinic Number 20

Local Anesthesia—Dr. P. Philip Gross, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 21

Direct Molar Band Technic—Dr. Geneva E. Groth, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 22

Fractures of Facial Bones—Dr. R. L. Harding, Danville.

Clinic Number 23

Acrylic Removables with Cast Clasps—Dr. John F. Harkins, Salina.

Clinic Number 24

Simple Technic for Acylic and Gold Inlays—Dr. John Heineken, Paoli.

Clinic Number 25

Partial Dentures (Illustrated)—Dr. Stuart J. Horner, Pittsburgh.

Clinic Number 26

Centric Occlusion—Dr. Raymond K. Hyde, Pittsburgh.

Clinic Number 27

The Role of Vincents Infection in Periodontal Disease—Dr. Frederic James, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 28

Childrens Dentistry—Dr. Xeny Kakouros, Erie.

Clinic Number 29

Periodontia—Dr. Sarah Kaplan, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 30

Stabilized Lower Dentures—Dr. Harry F. Koontz, Pittsburgh.

Clinic Number 31

The Importance of Early Recognition and Proper Treatment of Periodontal Lesions—Dr. R. L. Kreider, Erie, Pa.

Clinic Number 32

Orthodontic Therapy of Impacted and Unerupted Teeth—Dr. A. H. Lubowitz, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 33

Methods of Obtaining True Union Between Porcelain and Platinum and Irido-Platinum Metals—Dr. Edward J. Lyons, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 34

Pulp Canal Therapy and Ionization for the General Practitioner With Lantern Slides—Dr. B. W. Meiman, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 35

Technic of Surveying for Cast Partial Dentures—Dr. Benjamin Merembeck, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 36

Acrylics in Bridge Prosthesis—Dr. I. F. Miller, Pittsburgh.

Clinic Number 37

Simple Technic for Root Resections—Dr. Jacob P. Morrison and Dr. Saul Kaplan, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 38

Adult Orthodontics—Dr. Aubrey P. Sager, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 39

Electrosurgery in the Mouth (Illustrated)—Dr. Levon M. Saghirian, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 40

Operative Procedures in Porcelain Jacket Work. (Profusely Illustrated With Models, Practical Cases, Slides and Charts)—Dr. Gregory B. Salisbury, Philadelphia.

Clinic Number 41

Here and There in Periodontia—Dr. Bernard B. Saturen, Philadelphia.

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The Early Signs of Mal-Occlusion, and When to Begin Treatment—Dr. Edward Ray Strayer, Philadelphia.

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Practical Suggestions in Roentgenology for Children — Dr. W. J. Updegrave, Philadelphia.

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Dental Medicaments—How to Prepare Them—Dr. Wm. E. VanEerde—Linden, N. J.

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Gold-foil and Other Dental Phases — Dr. Herbert Ely Williams, Red Bank, N. J.

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Orthodontic Treatment of Impactions and Mutilations — Dr. Harry B. Wright, Philadelphia.

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PENNSYLVANIA STATE DENTAL HYGIENISTS' ASSOCIATION

The Western Pennsylvania Dental Hygienists' Association

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The Dental Hygienist in the Hospital—Euphemia Orlando.

Clinic Number 50

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Clinic Number 51

The Dental Hygienist in the Private Office—Margaret Grahn and Esther Grahn.

Clinic Number 52

The Dental Hygienist in Boys Club Work — Thelby Clauser and Betty Jenkins.

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA DENTAL HYGIENISTS' SOCIETY

Clinic Number 53

The Dental Hygienist in Public Health—Mada Reilly.

Clinic Number 54

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PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT DENTAL HYGIENISTS' SOCIETY

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Practical Hints for the Dental Hygienist—Helen Diller.

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THE MEETING AT A GLANCE

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8				**So long!**
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BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

HENRY B. ANDERSON, D.D.S. Clinician, investigator and practitioner of prosthetic dentistry. Has done research in the field of dental materials and his development of many new waxes have proved of great value to prosthodontists. His technique is simplified and efficient; using the new materials he has developed, he will prove a highlight on our program. Wherever he has presented his material there has been an increased demand to hear it again. We are very fortunate in having Doctor Anderson present his material in its entirety as a course before it has been given to any other similar group.

L. W. BURKET, D.D.S., M.D. Instructor in Oral Diagnosis, University of Pennsylvania; has contributed many articles to the literature on mouth diagnosis; his studies of the diseases of the oral cavity have been widely recognized. He has appeared on many programs and his investigations at Yale University were most outstanding. His medical training has added much to the value of his contributions in the field of oral diagnosis.

LEROY M. ENNIS, D.D.S. Assistant Professor of Dental Roentgenology and head of the department, Dental School, University of Pennsylvania; author of a standard textbook on the subject; clinician and essayist of note. It is difficult to find a dental society before which Doctor Ennis has not appeared one or more times. He is in constant demand as a speaker and is an acknowledged authority on his subject.

LEIGH C. FAIRBANK, Brigader-general, United States Army, Head of the Dental Corps; teacher; lecturer; administrator. General Fairbank has developed the dental corps to a position of efficiency superior to any time in its previous history. His administrative duties at this time are particularly heavy and we are most fortunate that he has seen fit to become lecturer, once more, for a short time, just long enough to come to us with his valuable message.

E. W. FREAS, D.D.S. Assistant Professor, Operative Dentistry, Dental Department, University of Pennsylvania; has worked diligently with Doctor Gabel in his development of the modern method of cavity preparation; dentist to Babies Hospital of Philadelphia; investigator and clinician; will present in clinic form, the practice of modern cavity preparation.

ARTHUR B. GABEL, M.A., D.D.S. Edwin T. Darby, Professor of Operative Dentistry, Dental Department, University of Pennsylvania; co-editor of the American Text Book of Operative Dentistry; investigator, teacher, physicist; before entering dentistry, Doctor Gabel had long experience as a teacher of physics and he has brought to his work in operative dentistry

a thorough knowledge of the principles involved and has developed modern cavity preparation along known lines of stress and strain; he is presenting to us the results of this modern method of cavity preparation which he has developed.

DANIEL S. GARDNER, D.D.S. An outstanding dentist who is so well known to our members it is unnecessary to mention his accomplishments. His interest in public health has been a constant inspiration.

ROY J. GLEZEN, D.D.S. Assistant Dean, Georgetown University Dental School, Professor of Crown and Bridge Prosthesis, Georgetown Dental School; member District of Columbia Dental Society, A.D.A., Columbia Study Club.

LINWOOD G. GRACE, D.D.S. Chief of the Dental Department, Germantown Hospital, Philadelphia; Chief of the Dental Division, Department of Health, State of Pennsylvania; acknowledged authority on dental public health work; has made many contributions to the literature on this subject; his recognized ability has made him a speaker in constant demand on dental health problems. Pennsylvania is proud that our Chief of the Dental Division has won such recognition and we are proud to have one of our own members speak to us on a dental health program.

JOHN H. GUNTER, D.D.S., M.D. Assistant Professor Maxillo-Facial Surgery at the School of Dentistry, University of Pennsylvania; Consultant in Oral Surgery at the Episcopal Hospital of Philadelphia; Assistant Oral Surgeon at the Oncologic Hospital of Philadelphia. Doctor Gunter has collaborated with Doctor Kelly in investigating the oral manifestations of malnutrition and the development of a nutritional therapy in the treatment of oral lesions.

HERBERT T. KELLY, M.D. Associate Visiting Physician at Presbyterian Hospital, Philadelphia; Visiting Physician, Doctors Hospital of Philadelphia; Chairman Commission on Nutrition and Deficiency Disease, State of Pennsylvania; Associate in Medicine, Graduate School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania. Doctor Kelly's presentation at our meeting will give us the most modern thought on nutrition based on years of careful clinical and research investigation by Doctor Kelly.

BENJAMIN LINCOLN, D.D.S. Porcelain worker of unusual ability. His highly developed sense of staining and color and the planning of porcelains has been marveled at whenever exhibited. He is coming to us with many new ideas on the working of porcelain and new techniques and simplified methods of staining. He will present a method of reducing strain and breakage and will show the bridging of spaces without bridges.

HUNTING J. LORD, D.D.S. Instructor in Crown and Bridge, Dental Department, Temple University; well-known for his precision methods in making bridge attachments, using various types of gold inlays; a clinican of long experience; has done much to popularize modern methods of utilizing the gold inlay both alone and as a bridge attachment.

W. E. MENDEL, D.D.S., Past President Pennsylvania State Dental Society. Tireless worker for the good of the dental profession. He has worked constantly as the head of the dental public health committee of our society. Through his cooperation, a Dental Health Day, unique in its presentation, has been planned for Pennsylvania in the fall. Doctor Mendel is chairman of the Public Health Committee of the Pennsylvania State Dental Society.

MILTON ROSE, M.D. Professor of Public Health, Department of Public Health, University of Pennsylvania. Doctor Rose was lent by the University of Pennsylvania to head the infantile paralysis investigation in 1940. He combined unusual administrative ability with his professional training. His evaluation of dentistry in a general public health program has been of much help to us. He has cooperated in arranging meetings and has been of invaluable aid to the health program.

E. HOWELL SMITH, D.D.S. Assistant Professor of Prosthetics and Acting Head of the Department of Prosthetics, Dental Department, University of Pennsylvania. Doctor Smith is an outstanding teacher of prosthetics; his course in dental technology is probably one of the best in the country; an outstanding clinician and research man; an acknowledged authority on acrylic resins; his standardization and simplification of methods of processing together with the facts involved in the scientific development of acrylics is his contribution to our meeting.

G. M. STEWART, D.D.S. Assistant Professor of Anatomy and Physiology, School of Dentistry, University of Pittsburgh; special investigator in diseases of the gingiva; he has brought to his research his knowledge of anatomy and physiology. The value of his work in gingivectomy will be appreciated after his lecture, which is to be illustrated with slides and movies.

E. G. VAN VALEY, D.D.S. Doctor Van Valey has been acutely interested in root canal investigations and treatment for many years. He worked with Myer L. Rhein in the original Rhein technique and has developed from that to the present time a rational and conservative method of root canal therapy. He is a clinician of renown, having appeared on many programs of dental societies. He is a member of the New York

Academy of Dentistry and other scientific bodies. He has developed his therapy of root canal treatment in line with modern knowledge of infections and is giving us the result of his years of labor.

DOROTHY WAUGH, D.D.S. Able practitioner of dental prosthetics; Instructor at Dental School at Temple University in the department of prosthetics; her esthetic approach to the shaping and staining of teeth to more accurately reproduce natural conditions has merited praise wherever it has been demonstrated.

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THE W. J. GIES ENDOWMENT FUND OF THE JOURNAL OF DENTAL RESEARCH

A list of contributors to this fund was all set up for this issue but the JOURNAL became so swollen with Program material that it was impossible to run the names. Dollars are still needed and welcome; if you don't know who to send yours to, mail it or them to the editor and he will forward to a member of the state committee.

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DISTRICT NEWS

FIRST DISTRICT

District Editor . . . . Benjamin Benedict

THE PHILADELPHIA COUNTY DENTAL SOCIETY

The Annual Meeting of the Philadelphia County Dental Society was held Wednesday, April 30, 1941, at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel.

A dinner was tendered to the retiring President, Dr. Charles H. Patton, preceding the business meeting. Dr. Patton was succeeded in office by President-Elect Sanford D. Lawyer, who presented a beautiful plaque to Dr. Patton in appreciation of his fine services to the Society.

The officers elected were as follows:—

President-Elect—Robert Adams. Treasurer—Milon P. Eaton

Secretary—M. B. Markus. Librarian—John W. Ross

Board of Governors—Benjamin A. Lincoln, John P. Looby, John B. Price.

Delegates elected were: Andrew J. Seeler, Frank E. Chumar, Frank A. Fox, Benjamin A. Lincoln, Edward Frese, Anthony R. DiNubile, John Wallace Forbes, Lawrence E. Hess, John W. Ross, M. B. Markus, Thomas P. Fox, Abram Cohen, Charles H. Patton, M. M. Fintz, Harry A. Mesjian, John H. Yearick, Victor H. Frank, Herbert E. Cohen, William Perry Manning, John P. Looby.

Alternates elected were: Alexander H. Reynolds, James Craig, Robert Adams, J. J. Stetzer, Sr., John H. Greene, William V. Scanlon, Milon P. Eaton, William C. Webb, Ernest F. Ritsert, Arthur Gabel, Robert H. Nones, Linwood G. Grace, Lester Burket, Z. T. Jackaway, E. Julian Ohn, Paul R. Schock, Clarence E. Chain, E. Howell Smith, John P. Dolak, John H. Gunter.

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SECOND DISTRICT

District Editor . . . . Chas. L. R. Myers

Lehigh Valley Dental Society

With nearly 100 members and guests in attendance, the Lehigh Valley Dental Assistants Association and the Lehigh Valley Dental Society met in a joint dinner session Monday evening, April 21, in the Hotel Bethlehem.

Dr. Charles B. Mandelbaum, New York City, addressed the groups on "Planning for Success in Dentistry," stressing the importance of office management. He was introduced by Dr. R. B. Hess, of Bethlehem.

New officers were elected at the business session of the dental society which was presided over by T. J. Sullivan, of Easton, retiring president.

O. B. Landis, of Allentown, was elected president; I. O. Jones, Hellertown, vice-president; J. J. Shillis, Easton, recording secretary; Fred Johnson, Allentown, financial secretary; R. F. Peters, Allentown, treasurer; Wayne Steley, Quakertown, corresponding secretary, and R. B. Hess, Bethlehem, historian. Installation of officers took place at the annual meeting held May 19.

Delegates were named to represent the Lehigh Valley Society at the state convention to be held at Bedford Springs. The delegates are R. E. V. Miller, Easton; E. G. Gilbert, Allentown, and J. J. Shillis, Easton, with J. E. Hirtle, Bath, I. O. Jones, Hellertown, and Samuel Lavine, Allentown, as alternates.

O. B. Landis, president-elect and chairman of the program committee, was in charge of the arrangements for the affair.

A brief business session of the Lehigh Valley Dental Assistants was held in the interim between the dinner and the address by the guest.

R. F. Peters, Sec'y

Montgomery-Bucks Dental Society

On Monday evening, April 28th, the regular monthly meeting of the Montgomery-Bucks Dental Society took place at the Valley Forge Hotel, Norristown.

Dr. Fred Lutz, of Doylestown, presided. The speaker of the evening was Dr. Paul Simonsen, for years an eminent authority on porcelain restorations. He proved to be both instructive and entertaining.

The subject for the May meeting will be "Internal Medicine as related to Dentistry." Dr. Bernard Comroe will be the speaker.

I. J. WENOF, Sec'y

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THIRD DISTRICT

District Editor . . . . Joseph E. Manley

HAZLETON DISTRICT DENTAL SOCIETY

A meeting of the Hazleton Dental Society was held at the Altamont Hotel on April 29th. The business meeting was cut very short so that the clinician would have more time. Dr. Hillard Nevin, of New York, gave a short talk augmented by sound and color films, on "Conduction and Infiltration Anesthesia."

For three consecutive Fridays, clinics are being held at the hotel. Dr. Dykes, of Glen Lyon, is the clinician and his topic, "Denture Impressions."

Our society has secured the cooperation of the local schools in promoting a dental poster contest. Prizes will be awarded.

FRANK R. KENNEDY

LACKAWANNA COUNTY DISTRICT DENTAL SOCIETY

Our next regular meeting will be held at the Scranton Chamber of Commerce on Monday, May 26th, at 8:30 P. M. Our guest clinician will be Copeland Merrill, D.M.D., of Wadan Block, Mass. His topic for the evening will be "Indirect and Hollow Gold Inlays."

On Monday, April 28th, we celebrated Dental Health Day with a public meeting held at the Scranton Chamber of Commerce in the evening. Our out-of-town guest speakers were Dr. Linwood Grace of the Department of Health, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Harrisburg, and Dr. W. J. Robinson, President of the Pennsylvania State Dental Society.

The annual dental outing will be held late in June or early in July. Announcement was made by Don Swift, Chairman of the Outing Committee, that arrangements are being made to have the affair at the Scranton Country Club where everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves last year. Remember that LUNCHEON???? Boy, oh Boy!

On May 14th the Lackawanna County District Dental Society tendered a Testimonial Dinner in honor of three of our members who have been practicing dentistry for the past fifty years, Drs. F. L. McGraw, W. H. McGraw, and R. F. Taylor. The number of men present was indicative of the grand character and high esteem in which we hold these "50 year" men of dentistry. The society was honored to present these men with plaques to commemorate their faithful service to the public and organized dentistry during their many happy years now passed by, and to extend to

them the sincere wish that their past record will be carried forth during their next fifty years.

GEORGE KULCZYCKI, Sec'y

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Lackawanna County District Dental Society was held on Tuesday, May 5th at the Chamber of Commerce and was a luncheon meeting. Mrs. James G. Morgan, President, presided.

The annual spring reading held at the Chamber of Commerce Lounge on Saturday, May 3rd, was a huge success. Miss Margaret Durkan read James Hilton's "Random Harvest," and it was thoroughly enjoyed by the members and their guests. Tea followed the reading with Mrs. T. P. McWilliams and Mrs. Alan Davis in charge. The proceeds of the reading were added to the Project Fund.

As part of the project for 1941, a donation of $25.00 was sent to the Florence Crittenden Mission Home for Girls, to be used toward their summer program.

The annual summer outing will be held at Buck Hill Inn, Buck Hill Falls, on Tuesday, June 10th. Mrs. Donald A. Swift is Chairman, and her committee, Mrs. G. R. Burns, Mrs. C. M. Mallery, Mrs. C. M. Kelly, Mrs. J. G. Morgan, Mrs. John Lockery, Mrs. M. F. Boland, and Mrs. A. J. Casella, promises a day of real sports, games, hikes, etc. The Auxiliary will meet at the Chamber of Commerce at 10:00 A. M., and an invitation is extended to our sister auxiliaries to join us—you will be most welcome. The luncheon will be served at 1:00 o'clock daylight time, as Buck Hill Falls is on that time.

LUZERNE DENTAL SOCIETY

On Tuesday, March 18 the Luzerne Dental Society was the host of the Third District. The clinician for the evening was Doctor Russell M. Stine, Professor of Anthropology, Columbia University. His subject was "Contribution of Anthropology to Practical Prosthetic Problems." Doctor Stine gave a very interesting and educational discussion during which he traced the growth of the porcelain tooth from its very rude form to the present day perfection of mold, color, etc.

On April 21 the Luzerne Dental Society held an Open Forum meeting. The meeting was very interesting and the members responded heartily. A number of men discussed their pet grievances and many gave short talks on short cuts in the office. At this meeting it was decided to buy a sound motion picture projector for the dental society's use in the comprehensive educational program which we are launching in the county for the coming year.

On April 26 the Woman's Auxiliary with the society's cooperation held a supper dance at the Knights of Columbus Home, Wilkes-Barre. This was the first attempt at such a dance and the committee in charge was more than pleased with the attendance.

The regular monthly meeting of the society was held May 19 with Doctor Roberts presiding. The boys were all pepped up for the summer vacation and it was decided to hold the annual outing at Harris Park on July 17. This is an annual affair and all the boys have a grand time. We extend an invitation to all to attend. The clinician for the meeting was Lawrence Curtis, M.D., D.D.S., from the University of Pennsylvania. Doctor Curtis's clinic on "Surgical Problems of the General Practitioner" was very interesting and the members enjoyed it immensely.

The delegates, consisting of George A. Hutter and S. C. Andaloro and the alternates, Allison Miller and Joseph Flanagan, will be in attendance at the State Meeting at Bedford Springs.

The Luzerne Dental Society program for the remainder of the year has been completed and is as follows:

For the regular Fox Hill meeting in September we have obtained Doctor P. A. McCole, Professor of Periodontia of Georgetown University.

At the regular October meeting we have obtained Doctor J. Richard Walsh of East Orange, New Jersey. His subject will be "Periodontia."

The annual joint meeting of the Luzerne Dental Society and Luzerne County Pharmaceutical Society will be held in November. This meeting is held in conjunction with a county-wide Dental Health Week with dental educational displays in all pharmacies throughout the county. Annual meeting and election of officers in December.

G. A. HUTTER, Sec'y

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FOURTH DISTRICT

District Editor . . . . . P. W. Metzger

READING DENTAL SOCIETY

The Reading Dental Society held a very successful stag buffet lunch for their April meeting and it was quite well attended. Good fellowship reigned supreme; the wheels of chance smiled favorably on quite a few members—on some they seemed to laugh out loud. The committee in charge should be complimented on their effort and we are all looking forward to the next stag night.

For our May meeting we were more than pleased to hear a paper by one of our own members, Dr. V. E. Caravelli. His paper, "Procedure to be followed for the early detection and correction of defects in Deciduous and Permanent Teeth," was extremely interesting. Quite an extensive dis-

cussion by the members followed and the speaker ably closed the discussion. This program brought back the good old days when every new member was required to read a paper. Let us hope that Dr. Caravelli has renewed this time-honored procedure.

Many of our members are anxiously awaiting the state meeting next month. Our own Fourth District's annual outing will be held on June 19th at Hershey. Let us all make arrangements to go to both of these meetings; we shall lose nothing by doing so.

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FIFTH DISTRICT

District Editor . . . . Paul E. Bomberger

Harris Dental Society

The regular monthly meeting of the Harris Dental Society of Lancaster was held at the Hotel Brunswick on Tuesday, April 15th. The speaker, Dr. Thomas J. Cook of Philadelphia, Professor of Oral Diagnosis at Evans Institute, showed his colored motion pictures of oral diseases. The pictures and talk were very well received; the physicians of the county had been invited and quite a few were in attendance.

Harrisburg Dental Society

The regular monthly meeting of the Harrisburg Dental Society held at the Academy of Medicine Friday, May 9, was designated as Army night. Over forty Dental Officers of the Army were guests. Dr. R. L. Harding, who heads the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Geisinger Memorial Hospital, Danville, Pa., spoke on "Traumatic Injuries of the Jaws and Face". This was a very fine meeting and the Harrisburg Dental Society were proud to be hosts to their colleagues in the army.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Harrisburg Dental Society

The April meeting of the Auxiliary was held April 18, 1941 at the Y.M.C.A. Mrs. Edward Gara gave an interesting talk on "Gardens".

The May meeting of the Auxiliary was held Friday, May 9, 1941 at the Harrisburger Hotel. A most interesting program was presented by Dr. William Rhein and Mr. Richard Rauch, Ornithologist of the Harrisburg Zoo, and Doctor Rhein showed some most unusual colored movies of bird life.

On Thursday, June 19, 1941, the Auxiliary plans to hold its Annual Picnic at the Carlisle Country Club. The husbands of members and other members of the Harrisburg Dental Society are invited to this affair.

York County Dental Society

The regular monthly meeting of the York County Dental Society was held Friday evening, April 4th, at the Lafayette Club, York, Pa. The

meeting was in charge of the president, George Kirschner. After a short business meeting, the clinician of the evening was presented. Dr. Edward Subin, of the Department of Pathology, Temple University Dental School, presented a clinic on "Root Amputations and Fixed Bridge-work." The clinic was well presented and most interesting.

The following is a list of officers who will serve the society for the ensuing year: President, George Kirschner; Vice-President, Fred Trax; Secretary, Erwin L. Brothers; Treasurer, Gibson E. Stine; Public Relations Officer, Henry G. Wolfe.

The society was extended an invitation to attend the meeting of the Maryland State Dental Society, at Baltimore, May 5th to 7th.

HENRY G. WOLFE, Sec'y

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SEVENTH DISTRICT

District Editor . . . . . J. L. Porias

The only excitement this month was created by Lee Engelbach of Johnstown—a censor of the society. He went down to Cumberland Dam in Bedford County and caught probably the outstanding prize rainbow trout in the state so far this season. It was 26 inches long and weighed only an ounce under five pounds. The fish surpasses the record rainbow trout caught in the entire state of Pennsylvania last year; the largest was a 25-inch fish caught in Mifflin County. Lee hooked it with a "night crawler". To prove that it was no fluke, he went down two weeks later and caught one 21 inches long and another 17 inches long.

BLAIR COUNTY DENTAL SOCIETY

The regular meeting of the society was held Monday evening, April 21. Drs. Frank Evans and Walter Roth presented slides on the subject "Orthodontic Problems of Interest to the General Practitioner." The members found the presentation very interesting and informing.

The annual election resulted as follows: President, R. B. Cooper; Vice-President, W. P. Stamm; Secretary, R. L. Pearce; Treasurer, P. N. Jordan. After the meeting the society proceeded in a body to the home of the late Dr. Frank C. Jones.

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EIGHTH DISTRICT

District Editor . . . . . E. H. Culbertson

The Bradford Dental Society held a meeting on Wednesday, April 2nd, at the Emery Hotel, Bradford. The business meeting was held at 5:00 P. M.; dinner at 6:00 P. M. Dr. Paul Jamesson of Buffalo, New York, presented a very interesting clinic on "The Vital Tooth."

At the business meeting there was considerable discussion relative to the best means of helping out the local dentists who were drafted into the service. There was also considerable discussion as to why dentists were not being paid more for the work which they did for relief cases.

The Annual Eighth District Dental Society Meeting was held Thursday, May 1st., at the Emery Hotel, Bradford, Pa., with an attendance of around seventy members. The Rev. Henry S. Sizer of the Church of Ascension, Bradford, gave a stirring address on "The Art of Living". He pictured the two ways of life—one to just drift along and the other to really make an art of living. Following his address Dr. Harold E. Tingley of the Harvard Dental School, Boston, Mass., gave a very interesting clinic on "The Clinical Use of Silicates". Luncheon was at 12:00 o'clock, followed by the business meeting and election of officers. The new officers for the year are:

President, Hugh J. Ryan; Vice President, L. H. Heeter; Secretary and Treasurer, E. H. Culbertson; Associate Editor, K. E. Wilson.

Delegates: Hugh J. Ryan, James E. Richards, Harry Gardner.

Alternates: K. Kilbury, C. T. Fleming, Charles Dickinson.

Board of Directors: K. G. Lenhart, L. L. Lathrop, Karl E. Wenk, J. F. Clark, J. K. Thamm, P. F. McCracken, R. S. Gibb, R. C. Beckwith, R. E. Taylor.

The delegate to the A.D.A. meeting in Houston, Tex., is J. M. Crosby; alternate, Karl E. Wenk.

We were gratified in having our State President, Dr. Robinson, with us. He gave a brief but comprehensive outline of what the state society is trying to do.

After lunch Dr. Harold E. Tingley gave a clinic on "The Clinical Use of Amalgam", illustrated by slides. It was the general opinion that no one could listen to that clinic and not be able to put in a better amalgam filling. It was generally thought by all that Dr. Tingley was one of the most outstanding clinicians to ever visit the city of Bradford.

At 4:00 P. M. some of the boys teed off in the annual golf game at the beautiful Pennhills Country Club and were again delighted with a 6:30 banquet served as only the Pennhills chef can do the job. All in all, the meeting was one to long be remembered.

The next meeting of the Eighth District Society will be held on Tuesday, June 24th, at the Kane Country Club. This meeting will be held in conjunction with the McKean County Medical Society, with a golf session in the afternoon, dinner at 6:00 P. M., after which, we are pleased to announce, we have secured Dr. Reed O. Dingman, Oral Surgeon from Ann

Arbor, who will give a lecture on Oral Surgery illustrated by slides and colored motion pictures. We feel it a rare privilege to have Dr. Dingman with us on that occasion and anticipate an enjoyable time.

This meeting winds up the year, with the exception of the annual picnic of the Bradford Dental Society, which will be held some time in August.

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NINTH DISTRICT

District Editor . . . . . C. J. Frisk

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF THE ERIE COUNTY DENTAL SOCIETY

This month's meeting of the Auxiliary of the Erie County Dental Society was held on Friday, May 9th, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. C. McChesney, 2521 Ridge Rd., in Erie.

Complete plans for the annual June luncheon were made. The place chosen was Heath's Chateau in Wesleyville, and the time June 11, 1941.

The guest of the evening was Mrs. George Kelly, who presented a delightful program of motion pictures.

Following the busineess meeting a social hour was enjoyed by the members present who numbered about thirty.

LAURA P. LUPPINO, Sec'y.

A meeting of the House of Delegates of the Ninth District was held at Hotel Kepler, Meadville, Pa., Saturday, May 10th.

President Dr. J. B. Balthaser called the session to order at 4 P. M. Delegates representing Lawrence, Venango, Erie, Mercer and Crawford Counties were seated.

The president urged a good attendance at the State Meeting in Bedford. Dr. Eric Hernblom of Oil City, Chrairman of Scientific Program for the Ninth District meeting in Hotel Bartlett, Cambridge Springs, June 20-21st, offered the following tentative program.

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM OF THE NINTH DISTRICT MEETING

Friday, June 20

9:30 A. M.—President's Address.

10:00 A. M.—A Study of the Management of Pulps and Allied Problems. Clinician—George W. Parr, D.D.S., Wadsworth, Ohio.

11:30 A. M.—House of Delegates.

LUNCHEON

2:00 P. M.—A Study of Certain Phases of Exodontia. Clinician—Bernard G. Wakefield, D.D.S., Professor of Exodontia and Oral Surgery, University of Buffalo, N. Y.

DINNER

8:00 P. M.—After-Dinner Lecture—M. Russell Stein, D.D.S., Professor of Anthropology, Columbia University, New York City.

Saturday, June 21

10:00 A. M.—Contributions of Anthropology to Practical Prosthetic Problems. Clinician—M. Russell Stein, D.D.S., New York City.

LUNCHEON

2:00-4:00 P. M.—Table Clinics

Acrylic Protection for Fractured Permanent Anterior Teeth in Children—Dr. E. F. Baker, Erie, Pa.

Mandibular Osteomyelitis and Its Management—Dr. H. M. Ackerman, Erie, Pa.

Acrylic Davis Crowns—Dr. G. P. Cross, Erie, Pa.

Keeping Accounts—Dr. P. G. Daubenspeck, Erie, Pa.

Children's Dentistry—Dr. X. Kakouros, Erie, Pa.

Periodontia—Dr. R. L. Kreider, Erie, Pa.

Photographic Evidence of Correct Vertical Dimensions—Dr. Bertha O'Leary, Girard, Penna.

Photography for Records and Demonstration—Dr. D. S. Sterrett, Erie, Pa.

Direct Inlay Impressions—Dr. F. A. Stewart, Erie, Pa.

Preparing Dental X-Ray Films for Diagnosis—Dr. J. C. McElhaney, Erie, Pa.

Stabilizing the Lower Denture—Dr. R. L. Black, Meadville, Pa.

Exodontia and Anaesthesia—Dr. A. G. Reynolds, New Castle, Pa.

CRAWFORD COUNTY DENTAL SOCIETY

The Crawford County Dental Society held their monthly dinner meeting at Hotel Kepler, Meadville, Wednesday evening, May 7th.

The clinician of the evening was Mr. Sterns of Buffalo, N. Y. He demonstrated the copper plating of impressions and injection method of processing acrylic dentures. The demonstration was very well received and was proven so by the late hour of adjournment.

We wish to express, at this time, our regrets to Dr. Glenn S. Phillips, (former State President) on the operation and illness of Mrs. Phillips and sincerely hope for a speedy recovery.

F. F. WAELDE, Sec'y

LAWRENCE COUNTY DENTAL SOCIETY

The Lawrence County Dental Society held their annual spring meeting at the New Castle Field Club, May 21st. This is known as the Annual Field Day for our society, and we had a very good attendance. Golf pre-

dominated during the afternoon with dinner in the evening at 6:30. The clinician chosen for this meeting was Dr. J. B. Balthaser of Erie, President of the Ninth District, who gave us an illustrated lecture on "Pulp Stones."

Our program committee is already at work on a series of meetings for next fall and winter and we are looking forward to these meetings with a great amount of interest.

T. J. McFate, Sec'y

Mercer County Dental Society

There was a meeting held May 5, at the Grove City Country Club, of a committee representing Mercer, Venango, Lawrence and Crawford Counties, to discuss the advisability of some joint meetings for the coming year.

It was decided, subject to the approval of the respective county societies, that two joint meetings will be held, one in the fall and the other in the spring of next year. The expense of these meetings is to be shared equally by all four societies and that the expense is not to exceed $50.00 for each component society.

It was further moved, that each of the four societies will appoint a committee of two to serve as a Program Committee to meet at Grove City on June 29th to further discuss the plan and make definite choice of clinicians for these joint meetings.

The next regular meeting of the Mercer County Dental Society was held on May 20th. Election of officers for the ensuing year was the point of business.

M. N. Sepeshy, Sec'y

Venango County Dental Society

The most recent meeting of our society, featuring Dr. L. S. Fletcher of Castle Shannon, Pa., was a huge success with Venango County as the recipient of some excellent hints as to the conduct of our various offices and the construction of immediate dentures. Dr. Fletcher has an interesting collection of kodachrome slides and for you who have not seen them, they are well worth seeing.

We welcome a new member of organized dentistry to our midst, Dr. S. C. Shialabba of Oil City.

Dr. Eric Hernblom, our president, leaves office with our May meeting. It is our earnest desire that the future officers of this society are as diligent in the conduct of the affairs of the Venango County Society as he has been.

The Venango County Society is considering associating itself with the three adjoining soscieties in an effort to secure better clinicians than is possible on the individual limited budgets.

R. L. DeShong, Sec'y

TENTH DISTRICT

District Editor . . . . . J. F. McParland

A meeting of the Odontological Society was held on April 23, at the Broadhead Hotel, Beaver Falls. It was attended by about 150 dentists. The program follows:

Dr. R. I. Crumpton—Wire Clasps and Partial Denture Designs.

Dr. C. S. Cuden—Use of Low Fusing Metals in Dentistry. Hydrocolloid Impression Technique.

Dr. H. F. Koontz—Fournet and Tuller Lower Impression Technique.

Dr. S. J. Horner—Processing Acrylic Dentures.

Dr. I. F. Miller—The Use of Acrylics for Bridges and Jackets.

A dinner and entertainment followed the program.

On May 14 a meeting was held at the Greensburg Country Club, Greensburg. Golf in the afternoon was followed by a clinic in the evening by Dr. H. B. Anderson on "Use of Wax in Impression Taking."

June 18—Odontological Golf Outing. Place will be announced later.

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NECROLOGY

JONES, DR. FRANK C., Altoona — U. of M. 1909

Dr. Jones died at his home on April 19th after an extended illness. He was born in Altoona fifty-six years ago.

A member of the staff of the Mercy Hospital, he was also active in community affairs.

He is survived by his wife, one daughter and one son and three sisters and two brothers.

KELLY, DR. OSCAR S., Donora — Univ. of Pitt.

Dr. Kelly died sometime during the month of April. He was a member of the Odontological Society of Western Pennsylvania.

STEIN, DR. B. D., Lancaster — P. D. C. 1913

Dr. Stein died in his home, 230 North Duke Street, Lancaster on Thursday morning, May 8th. Death was caused by a cerebral hemmorhage after a prolonged illness. He was 48 years of age.

Born in Pittsburgh, he came to Lancaster in 1903 and after finishing his schooling there, went to Philadelphia Dental College. He had practiced in Lancaster ever since.

Dr. Stein was active in fraternal and civic affairs. A member of the Psi Omega dental fraternity, he was also a past president of the Harris Dental Society, Lancaster Lions Club, Lancaster Lodge 228, Independent Order B'nai B'rith and a member of Lodge 43, F. and A. M.

He is survived by his wife, two sons, his mother, a sister and four brothers. One son is a dental student at the University of Pennsylvania.